### MANY RARE BIRDS SEEN

AUDUBON SOCIETY ENDS SERIES OF EXCURSIONS.

The Audubon Society of the District of Columbia last Saturday indulged in the last of its weekly trips for 1907. Every one of the five excursions of the season was carried out as planned. The society has the record that for six consecutive years no one of its five outings each year has been given up on account of the weather. More persons attended the meetings this year than ever before and more different kinds of birds were seen.

The first trip, April 20, was from Tacoma Park to Wildwood and along the Sligo to Silver Springs; forty-seven persons in attendance and thirty-seven species of birds observed. The second trip, a week later, was along the western bank of Eastern branch, crossing on the new Pennsylvania railroad bridge to Kenilworth. Twenty-seven persons took the trip and saw sixty-three kinds of birds. The third trip, May 4, by boat to Fort Washington, was most thoroughly enjoyed by forty-six people, and sixty-five birds were seen. The best trip of the season from the ornithological stand-reint was that of May 11 to Difficult Run point was that of May 11 to Difficult Run and Great Falls. The cold weather of April had held back the birds somewhat and they came with a rush in early May. At the came with a rush in early May. At the same time the growth of vegetation had been so delayed that the birds could be found easily and seen with great distinctness. Unfortunately, the early morning was so threatening that only twenty-seven people undertook the trip, but they were rewarded by having birds in sight all day long, in whatever direction the field glass was turned, and a total of seventy-two species was observed.

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The last excursion of the season last Sat-The last excursion of the season last Saturday was also the largest, with fifty-two persons in attendance. The forenoon was occupied in exploring the palisades of the Potomac along the Virginia shore above Aqueduct bridge, and the afternoon in Arlington cemetery. Notwithstanding the thickness of the foliage, sixty-seven species of hirds were seen. Those who remained of birds were seen. Those who remained for the afternoon excursion were treated to a unique experience. A pair of Louisiana water thrushes were found, and while two water thrushes were found, and while two members were observing the female through their field glasses, she suddenly rose to a hole in the bank and settled on her nest. The others of the party were summoned, and all examined the nest and its five spotted eggs—a rare find in this vicinity. The mother bird was all the time loudly protesting as she flew back and forth along the stream. Finally the whole party rethe stream. Finally the whole party retreated to the opposite bank and seated themselves. The chirps of alarm gradually decreased as the bird cautiously approached her home. With many bowings and tip-pings, she advanced from rock to rock and finally, in spite of the score of glasses focused on her movements, she entered the nest and settled on her treasures.

On each trip the members separated into three or four parties, for the better observation of the birds, each party being in charge of some one familiar with the birds charge of some one familiar with the birds of the District, Those who acted as guides at one or more of the 1907 excursions were Mrs. C. A. Aspinwall, Paul Bartsch, Wells W. Cooke, Arthur H. Howell, W. L. Mc-Atee, Henry Oldys, Willfam Palmer, Clarence R. Shoemaker and R. W. Williams, jr. The five trips of 1907 were attended by 112 different persons, the larger part of whom were present at only one meeting. whom were present at only one meeting.
Those who attended each one of the five
excursions were Mrs. C. A. Aspinwall, Wells
W. Cooke, Miss Ida E. Ossire, Cleveland
Perkins and Clarence R. Shoemaker. The Seymour, Miss Harriet M. Terry and R. W.

Feature of the Season.

different persons enjoyed a single day's ex-

The number of species of birds seen was exceptionally large, as compared with previous years, and the season was marked by the finding of some of the rarest birds known to this region. A cerulean warbler, the rarest warbler of this district, was seen at Great Falls May 11, and among the other rare birds observed may be men-tioned the summer tanager, golden-winged, blue-winged, hooded, Kentucky and worm-eating warblers, the red crossbill and the eating warblers, the rea crosson black-crowned night heron. The purple black-crowned night heron all the finches were unusually common all the spring-indeed, on May 4 and May 11 they fere with the detection of the songs of other birds. The species of birds seen on every one of the trips were the turkey buzphoebe, bluejay, common crow, purple grackle, white-throated chipping, field and song sparrows, towhee, cardinal, purple finch, black and white warbler, brown-thrasher, Carolina wren, tufted titmbuse, Carolina chickadee, robin and bluebird— twenty-two species. In addition, on the first trip there were seen the mourning dove, fish crow, meadowlark, junco, yellow palm warbler, house wren, white-breasted nuthatch, ruby-crowned kinglet, red crossbill, blue-headed vireo, pine warbler, her-mit thrush, yellow-bellied sapsucker, golden-crown kinglet and brown creeper-fif-teen species. The last six of these were not seen on any of the subsequent trips.

The new birds seen April 27 were the spotted sandpiper, red-headed woodpecker, whippoorwill, chimney swift, kingbird, red-winged blackbird, goldfinch, purple martin, cliff, barn, bank and rough-winged swallows, yellow-throated and white-eyed vireos. parula, yellow and myrtle warbiers, oven-bird, Louisiana water thrush, Maryland yellow throat, redstart, catbird, blue gnatcatcher, wood thrush, cooper red-tailed, marsh and sharp-shinned hawks, bald eagle, Wilson snipe, herring grill, rusty grackle and barred owl-33 species.

The third trip, May 4, disclosed the fol-

lowing new birds: Crested flycatcher, archard orlole, indigo bunting, scarlet tanager, summer tanager, red-eyed vireo, worm-eat-ing, blue-winged, black-throated, blue-black burnian, black poll, black-throated breasted grosbeak, osprey, broad-winged hawk, quall and Bonaparte gull-22 species. The fourth trip, though showing the largest number of different birds seen, added only eleven new species—the yellow-billed cuckoo, wood pewee, bobolink, golden-winged, cerulean, chestnut-sided, magnolia, Wilson and Canadian warblers, Wilson and gray-cheeked thrushes. The final trip of last Saturday increased the year's list with the black-crowned night heron, green heron, black-billed cuckoo, humingbird, cowbird, Baltimore oriole, cedar waxwing, bay-breasted warbler, northern water thrush and long-billed marsh wren—ten species. Thus, during the entire season the 112 people saw 113 different kinds of birds, as compared with 96 kinds seen during the five trips of 1906. Many regrets were expressed last Saturday that the season's outings had come to a close, and all look forward to the pleasures of watching the bird arrivals next

Six months in jail, in default of \$50 fine, was the sentence which was imposed in the Police Court today on Charles Ford. colored, for assaulting William Walters, also colored, in the kitchen of the Washington College for Girls, 3d and T streets northeast. A meat cleaver of large size was the weapon which Ford is alleged to have used on Walters. Walters, the police say, used some "names" toward Ford which Ford took ex-

ception to, and in the altercation which followed Ford struck his fellow kitchenmechanic with the meat cleaver.
Walters sought surgical aid at the
Homeopathic Hospital, and six stitches were required to close the wound in Wal-ters' scalp. The matter was reported to

the police, and Precinct Detective Greene of the tenth precinct arrested Ford shortly

Sudden Death.

The sudden death of Arthur C. Newman occurred at an early hour this morning, at his home, 1306 27th street. Arrangements for the funeral are being made this after-

Continuing the Great Stock-Reducing

Not even this morning's rain could dampen the enthusiastic response given this important underprice event. It has for its object the leveling of surplus stocks of summer merchandise. Every department in the store joins in the carnival of bargain-giving—at prices that establish a precedent for lowness. The second chapter is presented tomorrow—with so many extraordinary offerings that every shrewd buyer's attention must be attracted.

## \$25.00 in Cash Prizes--Free to Holders of "Easy Money"

Lucky Pieces Given at Goldenberg's. The "Easy Mosey Man" will distribute Lucky Pieces to our

customers today and tomorrow—and we will give away cash prizes amounting to \$25.00 to 25 winning numbers. The winning numbers will be posted in our store Saturday morning. When making purchases today and tomorrow look for the

'Easy Money" Lucky Piece with your change. The cash prizes will be given only for the Lucky Pieces distributed at our store. In addition to the cash prizes given by us for "Easy Money" discs, you have an equal chance of winning any of the numerous prizes offered by the Washington Times—thus you may win a double prize.

## Japanese Mattings, 180-warp Quality. Regularly 40c yd. 19c yd.

Tomorrow we place on sale 200 rolls of fine quality 180-warp apanese Mattings at the sensationally low price of 19c a yard. The fact that mattings have greatly advanced in price—and this grade cannot be bought now for less than 40c a yard-makes tomorrow's offerng all the more remarkable.

## Sale of Domestics.

A most unusual sale of Domestics—offering the every-day necessities at the time you want them and at prices that are marvelously low when you consider the present high cost of such goods.

Yard-wide Bleached Cotton, a soft nainsook finish, every thread close-woven quality; entirely free from starch or dressing. Especially adapted for undergarments and children's wear; regular price, 12½c 834C yard. Special. 42x26 Bleached Pillow Cases, the popular Crescent brand; hand-torn and 

for double beds; with heavy woven Marseilles patterns; pearl hemmed ready to use; regular \$1.25 c value. Special..... "IT PAYS TO DEAL AT GOLDENBERG'S."



"THE DEPENDABLE STORE."

SEVENTH AND K STREETS

### Handkerchiefs, Choice, 5c. Worth 10c and 121/2c.

You'll need plenty of Handkerchiefs in the summer time—and here's your chance to supply the need at a saving of half-price and more.
We place on sale tomorrow 500
dozen Women's Fine Quality Sheer
Swiss Embro'dered Handkerchiefs at 5c each—actually worth 10c and 12½c. Choice of an extensive range of beautiful patterns.

Just think of it—'c for such Hand-kerchiefs.

### Floor Oilcloth. 19c Sq. Yard. Worth 35c and 40c.

While these are so-called "Mill Ends," there are so many pieces of the same pattern that it will be easy to secure quantity enough of one kind to cover an entire floor.

Extra heavy grades of Floor Oilcloth, in 4-4, 6-4 and 8-4 widths—in a line of attractive patterns.

line of attractive patterns.

The identical kinds sold regularly at 35c and 40c a square yard, offered tomorrow for 19c.

# Women's Suits Half Price and Less.

To force an immediate clearance of our remaining stock of Women's Suits we have been compelled to make decisive reductions. Nothing is reserved. Every garment in stock is now marked at a price entirely out of proportion to original value. Never before have you had the opportunity of choosing from such a collection of stylish garments at such savings. Come tomorrow and make your selection, while assortments are still complete.

## Lot 1--Women's Suits, Worth \$25.00 and \$30.00,

Consisting of Prince Chap, pony coat, handsome Etons and smart

cutaway models, fashioned of imported checks, gray plaids, imported stripe fabrics, mannish effects and fancy novelty cloths. Beautifully made with fancy vests, others trimmed with self-tailored effects, and some trimmed with gray silk braid bands and tailored braids.

All are made with the new full plaited skirts, in various late models. In black and all fashionable colors, including the sought-after plain and fancy grays. Former prices, \$25.00 and \$30.00. Reduced to \$12.75.

19c to 39c Buttons, 10c. White Pearl But-tons; good quality fresh water pearl, in sizes from 24 to 40 ligne. Kinds sold regularly at 19c to 39c a dozen. One day at 10c.

10c Towels, 5c. 200 dozen 19x88 Union Linen Huck Towels, full bleached, with neat red border and fringed at the ends; soft fin-ish and thorough-

8c Doilies, 21/2C.

All - white Satin Da mask Buffet Doilles, 9 inches square. Every thread all pure lin-en. Tied fringe all around. One day

Slips, 121/2c. New styles in Lithographed Pillow Slips, showing up-to-date subjects. One day at 12½c instead of

25c Pillow

Vests, 5c. Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, finished with tape in neck. Full cut and perfect fitting. One day at

15c. Manufacturer's "seconds" of 25c Opaque Window Shades, mounted on strong spring rollers. All col-

25c Shades,

69c Pillows, 33c. 500 Feather Pillows, for double beds. Filled with sanitary feathers and covered with durable feather-proof ticking.

Lot 2--Women's Suits.

Worth \$40.00 to \$50.00,

Handsomest and most exclusive styles shown this season, includ-

ing smart effects in pony coats, Eton models and blouse Etons, fash-

Combination Suits of voile and taffeta—the season's latest novelty.

Elegantly trimmed with taffeta bands and insets of braid, some handsomely embroidered with self-colored applique braids and rich insets of taffeta.

Skirts are richly trimmed and made in various fashionable plaited styles.

LINED WITH TAFFETA, or unlined.

Choice of approved shades of brown, tan, light modes, navy, blue, pearl gray and black.

ioned of imported chiffon voiles, wire voiles and chiffon Panama; also

Reprinting, Fifty Visiting

Household Needs

Retinned Ice Tongs and Ice 10c

Retinned Lemon Squeezers, at....10c

Grass Shears, fully warranted. 25c

Stone Butter Jars, with covers. Keep the butter fresh and sweet. 14C

10c cans of "Dutch Cleanser," 71/2C

75c Bentwood Hose Reel, will 49c hold 50 feet of garden hose......

Hennis Fruit or Potato Presses, 10c

50c Galvanized Iron Garbage 39c Cans with tight-fitting cover.....

Children's 3-piece Garden Sets, oc sconsisting of hoe, rake and spade.... 9c

29c Fiber Water Pall, good 15c

Moth Balls, new stock, guar- 31/2C anteed fresh; package.....

10c Packages of Lavender and Camphor; sure death to moths... 71/2C

15c cans of Insectine, with pat- OC

Extraordinary Underprice

Sale of

White Jap. Silks.

These White Japanese Habu-

tai Silks are in greatest demand

for summer waists and dresses-

and to be able to buy them at such

low prices as we quote tomorrow is the rarest good fortune. The

qualities are guaranteed-thus as-

suring satisfaction with positive

Width. price. price. 25c 16c 24 inches. 35c 25c 27 inches. 39c 33c 49c 39c

Black Japanese Silks

Greatly Reduced.

27 inches...... 65c

 36 inches.
 69c

 36 inches.
 79c

 36 inches.
 98c

inches.....\$1.00

27 inches.....

27 inches.....

ent spray top..... 10c cans of Roachsault; sure 71/2C

60c Rolls of Moth-Proof Tarine Paper, containing 12 large sheets.. 39c

Mop Handles, suitable for

brush or mop..... 25 feet of Wire-bound Garden Hose, with solid brass nozzle; fully warranted...... \$2.98

with steel frame. 25c value......

Crystal Glass Wash Boards

the kind that never wear out

or rust. 49c value.....

the great dirt chaser.....

Cards reprinted from your own plate for 19c tomorrow. Work guaranteed best quality. Work

Children's Muslin Brawers, with cambric hemstitched ruffle, felled seams and worked buttonholes; 71/2C value for..... Little Children's Percale Dresses; made in Hubbard style: pink

and blue stripes; sizes 6 months to 3 years. Spe-Children's Skirts with waists; finished with hemstitched hem; sizes 6 months to 3 years. 121/2C

Girls' Dresses of White Persian Lawn and India Linon; handsomely trimmed with embroidery and lace; \$1.29 ular \$2.00 value for......

### Small Wares.

Clark's O. N. T. Spool Cotton: 25c Linen-finish Thread, white or 1c black; worth 3c spool..... larly 5c card..... Eyes; regularly 3c card...... and 15c values; strip..... not gum; large bottle.....

Dutch Linen Tape, all widths; 2c regularly 4c piece..... Extra grade Tubular Mohair Shoe Laces; 1 yard to 1½-yard lengths; 5C regularly 5c pair; 2 pairs for...... White Linen Skirt Braid for binding white wash skirts; 5-yard rolls; 7c

spools; white, tan or brown; regu- 1C 3 lar 3c value.....

Stocking Feet; black or white; pair.....

3 Mme. Curie Perfect Hair Wavers; set regularly 10c roll.....

Columbia Hooks and Eyes; regu- 3c

Universal Spring Hooks and 1C Fancy Frilled Garter Elastic; 4-yard lengths; in all colors; regular 10c 6C

Best grade Machine Oil; will 31/2C

regularly 10c..... Extra quality Darning Cotton on

Wire Hair Pins, straight or crimped; regularly 1c paper; 10 papers 3C

maco cotton; all sizes; worth 10c 5C Hair Nets; black, brown, blonde; 5C

egular 10c kind..... Warren's Silk-covered Collar Supporters, made of Warren's gros grain slik-covered collarbone; regularly 5C % 10c set.....

of 6 in package; regular price, 15c 5c Angora Skirt Braid; 5-yard rolls; 7c Warren's Cotton-covered Featherbone, white or black; regular 10c value; 4c yard....

De Long Snap Fasteners, white 6c or black; regularly 10c card......

# SWISS,

For Summer Waists & Dresses.

Q340

Sold Regularly at

2,500 yards of this desirable White Dotted Swiss on sale tomorrow at 93/4c a yard—the same sheer, dainty grade always sold at 15c. Choice of all size dots from the small pin dots to the large space dot. The dots are woven—and the material will stand any amount of washing. One of the most attractive white goods bargains we've offered this season.

Cannon Cloth, 93/4c.

Yard-wide White Cannon Cloth, with genuine Irish linen finish. A sturdy, firm woven grade that will wash beautifully. Very popular for skirts and suits. Always sold at 15c a yd. Special, 9%c.

Nainsook, 53/4c. Regular & White Check Nainsook, in large assortment of styles. Extensively used for aprons and chil-dren's wear. Special,

18c.

White Plaid Lawns, in both the natural and lingerie finishes. In all size checks and broken plaids. Also handsome raised woven space dot designs. Regular price, 25c yd. Special, 18c. French Batiste,

graduation gowns. Reg-ular price, 35c a yard. Special, 25c.

Plaid Lawns.

Special, \$1.29.

25c. 46 inches wide White French Batiste, a grade of exceptional sheerness and fine quality. Especially desirable for

Longcloth, \$1.29.

Twelve-yard pieces of Genuine Chamois Finish English Longcloth, full 36 inches wide. This grade sells regularly at \$1.69 a piece everywhere.

Persian Lawn, 18c.

45 inches wide White Persian Lawn—sheer, crisp grade for making lingerie waists and dresses. This grade sells regularly at 25c a yard, but we offer it as a special value tomorrow at 18c.

### Usual 85c Irish Satin 55c Table Damask for . .

Housewives who appreciate the opportunity to secure a supply of genuinely good Table Linen at a big saving will need no second invitation to avail themselves of this bargain.

We offer 25 pieces of Irish Satin Table Damask, every thread all pure linen, extra heavy weight, two yards wide, snowy, white bleached, at 55c a yard—which sells regularly at 85c. In ivy, spot, clover and other patterns. Owing to the great advance in the cost of linen flax we cannot hope to duplicate this lot at the same low price.

Highly Mercerized Satin Table Damask, strictly first quality goods —heavy weight and superior finish. Patterns include scroll, fleur-delis, lily, poppy, large diamond and other designs. This cloth is guaranteed to retain its beautiful luster after washing. A bargain at 50c. a

## Lace Curtains, \$1.69 Pair.

Worth \$3.50 Pair. Worth \$4.50 Pair. Worth \$5.00 Pair. 500 pairs of Lace Curtains are offered at a price lower than we have ever been able to offer such qualities before. This in the face of

These Curtains represent the small lots and discontinued patterns of a leading mill. The lot includes fine quality English Nottingham and Cable Net Curtains of the best manufacture.

In a wide assortment of handsome patterns, including plain centers, figured all-

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Just think of buying such admirable qualities, sold regularly at \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.00 a pair for \$1.69!

## Sale of Embroideries.

These underprice lots of Embroideries are the result of a purchase secured from an importer who was in need of ready cash and sacrificed his profit to accomplish his purpose. The styles are particularly fine and the values better than we have been able to gather for a sale this season.

Nainsook and Swiss Corset Cover Embroidery, in an entirely new line of pat-terns. These are designed with ribbon beading top and are the styles in greatest demand this sea-Regular price, 50c yard. 37c Sale price.....

A fine lot of Cambric, Swiss and Nainsook Embroideries, up to 6 inches wide; edges and insertions in half a hundred attractive patterns. Qualities sold regularly at 18c and 20c a yard. Sale price. 121/2C

Beautiful Swiss Embroidery Flouncings; full 18 inches wide. Choice of a score of new and charming patterns that will be found particularly desirable for trimmings. Regular price, 50c yard. Sale price.....

Double-edge Embroidery Bandings, in handsome blind and open-work effects, full 3½ inches wide. Phis season's fad for trimming lingerie waists and summer dresses. Regular 39c and 50c qualities. Sale 20c

Regular 75c All-wool Cream Storm Serge. . . . The extreme desirability of this Cream Storm Serge and the fact

that it can be bought so much below regular cost should create a great It is 38 inches wide—strictly all wool, and a double twill, firm quality. There's nothing in greater demand for seashore and mountain wear. Offered for one cay only at 59c a yard instead of 75c.

50-inch (note the width) Cream Mohair Sicilian, a rich, lustrous grade, warranted dustproof; strictly reversible; very stylish for summer skirts and traveling suits; regular price, 75c a yard. Special....... 49c

38-inch Oyster White Mohair Brilliantine, a fine close weave, with rich silk luster. Regular price, 50c a yard. Offered as a special value 35C 44-inch All-wool Cream Storm Serge, with worsted finish. An extra firm double-twill quality. Regular price, 89c yd. Special at..

38-inch All-wool French Albatross, in 46-inch Mohair Sicilian, heavy grain, reversible and dust-proof quality. Rich lustrous finish. In this season's favorite shades. Regular 44C

## 10c & 12½c Laces, 6½c.

Phenomenal values these-phenomenal, because in spite of steadily advancing cost, we are able to offer an extensive assortment of choice styles at half price.

An importer's overstock, comprising 500 pieces of Point de Paris Laces, in beautiful match sets, up to 6 inches wide. A very wide range of choice styles, including floral, scroll and conventional patterns in all this season's best effects.

These are the Laces in greatest demand for trimmings—and have never sold for less than 10c and 12½c a yard heretofore. Tomorrow you may pick from the entire lot at 6½c a yard.

8,500 yards of Cluny Lace Bands and Edges to match—in the most desirable styles for making shirt waists; all widths; in ecru, white and black. These laces are very scarce even at the regular price, which is 10c a yard in every store. Tomorrow we offer this special lot at HALF REGULAR

Pure Linen Torchon Laces, edges and insertions in a wide assortment of new and desirable patterns. Widths up to 3 inches. Regular prices, 10c and 12½c a yard. Special...... Twelve-yard pieces of French Valenciennes Laces, edges and insertions in match sets. Choice of half a hundred Compare these laces with those sold at 50c in other stores. 29c new and beautiful patterns.

German Valenciennes Laces, edges and insertions in match sets. A new importation, showing latest designs for 

Black Silk Chantilly Laces, edges and insertions to match. In an excellent variety of attractive patterns for trimming purposes. Regular price, 10c yard. Special.

German paper published in the protectorate

PRICES TREBLED IN ROME.

Sequel to Rush of Tourists to the Ital ian Capital. Special Cablegram to The Star.

ROME. May 20 .- Owing to the crowds of visitors in Rome during the winter season the prices of commodities have trebled in recent years. Rents even have reached an exorbitant figure. A mass meeting has just been held to protest against the high

the rabble and the troops, scenes like these in which the soldiers are even stoned being of almost daily occurrence. At times the shops in certain sections of the city are even closed on account of a widespread

Arrangements have been made for a reception to the gratuating class of the Martha Washington Seminary tomorrow even-

The pupils of the department of elocution presented a three-act comedy last Saturday entitled "The Man in the Case." The cast of characters was: Mrs. Jontressor. Sara-Garlow; Enid Montressor, Gladys Wright; Doris, Bennie McAden; Gladys Gadabout, Olive, Lonkins: Madama Rogueky, Edith Olive Jenkins; Madame Bogusky, Edith Swan; Aline Roquet, Eula Wilkerson.

### Oregon Senator Says the People Will Make Roosevelt Run. Senator Bourne of Oregon has issued an-

other statement demanding the re-election of President Roosevelt. He issued his first pronunciamento soon after the famous \$5, 000,000 conspiracy was flushed at a dinner at which Senator Bourne was the host. The latest announcement is, in part, as follows: "The people believe that a tremendous struggle is in process between those aggregations of corporate wealth designated as the 'interests,' on one side, and themselves on the other, and recognize that the President has proved a just, heroic and effective defender of their rights against the predatory exploitation of syndicated wealth, and

ictions of the people must inevitably result n their issuing a peremptory command that President Roosevelt serve them for a sec-and elective term."

BARON OZAMA ARRIVES. Will Express Japan's Gratitude for Aid During Famine.

Baron Ozama, vice president of the Japnese Red Cross Society, accompanied by his interpreter, Mr. Togo, has arrived in this city to express to President Roosevelt and the American Red Cross Society the thanks of the Japanese for the generous assistance rendered to that country during the famine. Baron Ozama is a general in the Japanese army and took a prominent part in the Red Cross Society's work during the Russo-Japanese war.

Baron Ozama will, it is understood, go to Philadelphia, but will return to this

the fact that mills have advanced prices 20 per cent. over designs and motif effects with rich borders. 54 to 60 inc. es wide—all full 3½ yards long. In white, cream, ecru and Arabian shades.

WILL RELINQUISH POSITION.

Purchasing Agent for Canal to Go Into

Business. David W. Ross, general purchasing agent of the Panama canal commission, will resign shortly to become president of a large manufacturing concern in Chicago. Although he has not formally presented his resignation, he has let it be known that he desires to relinquish his position with the canal commission. Mr. Ross has not fixed upon the time for leaving the government service, but will leave at the con-venience of the commission.

TRAGIC DEATH IN THE ALPS. Two Engineers Slid Over Precipice to Their Death. Special Cablegram to The Star.

GENEVA, May 20.-Ernest -Kasser and

Alpine club they left Wessen without a guide to climb the Speer, 6,220 feet high. Near the summit they lost their way in the deep snow and decided to return. Kasser and Hogerter led the party which

attempted to make a record descent with glissades. The first two men suddenly arrived at a steep slope leading to a precipice. They saw their danger, but were unable to stop, and as they slid down with fright-ful rapidity they warned those behind of their danger. The next moment they were hurled over the precipice and fell 300 feet, being in-stantly killed. The other four returned in

SCOURGE OF LOCUSTS. Pests Destroying Crops in German Southwest Africa.

Special Cablegram to The Star. CAPE TOWN. May 20.-Fate seems to be against Germany's efforts to make any-GENEVA, May 20.—Ernest Kasser and Otto Hogerter, two engineers employed by thing out of her colony in southwest Africa. the federal railways, met with a tragic death a few days ago.

Accompanied by four members of a Zurich natives. The latest number to hand of the local railways against Germany's efforts to make anyjust been held to protest against the light cost of living, which has caused those with small wages and salaries—the bulk of the inhabitants, especially government clerks—to suffer severely.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 20.—Former thing out of her colony in southwest Africa. Lieutenant Governor of Connecticut Geo. G. Sill—Yale, 1852—died at his home last clerks—to suffer severely.

Accompanied by four members of a Zurich natives. The latest number to hand of the

relates how a settler attempted to defend his little plot of land against all ruthless invaders. He dug round it a ditch one yard broad and of equal depth, at the bot-tom of which he lit a fire. But the insects swarmed into the ditch till the flames had been extinguished by their accumulated corpses, when those who came after them overran the garden and devoured every-It is said that nothing like the present scourge has been known since 1871.

Reception to Graduates.

ing from 8 to 10 o'clock at the school, 1214 14th street northwest. The graduating exercises will be held Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* BOURNE FOR A THIRD TERM. Six Months or Heavy Fine.